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STATUS

2. Applicant
    _____ claims small entity status.
    ✓ is other than a small entity.

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3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

(a) _____ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
(Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)

Extension for response within:	Other than small entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)
____ first month	$ 110.00	$ 55.00
____ second month	$ 410.00	$ 205.00
____ third month	$ 930.00	$ 465.00
____ fourth month	$1,450.00	$ 725.00
____ fifth month	$1,970.00	$ 985.00

Fee: $ _____

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

____ An extension of _____ months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor $_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request $ _____.

OR

(b) ✓ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4.   The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

		(Col. 2) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(Col. 3) PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY ADDITIONAL. RATE FEE	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY ADDITIONAL RATE FEE
TOTAL INDEP.	MINUS		=	x $9 = $		x $18 = $
	MINUS		=	x $42 = $		x $84 = $
___ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ $140 = $		+ $280 = $
				TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE $	OR	TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE $

(Col. 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT

(a)   _✓_   No additional fee for Claims is required

OR

(b)   _____   Total additional fee for claims required $

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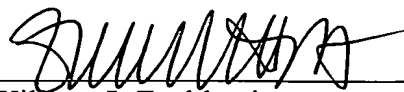
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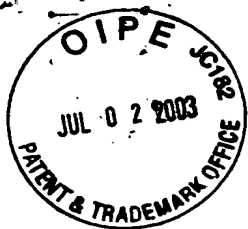A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

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6.   _✓_   If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.

AND/OR

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7.   _____   Other:

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 9, 2003, Applicants respectfully request consideration of the following remarks.

REMARKS

The Office Action dated April 9, 2003 has been carefully reviewed and the following remarks have been made in consequence thereof.

Claims 1-18 are pending in this application. Claims 1-18 stand rejected.

The rejection of Claims 1-4, 6-8, and 13-15 under 35 U.S.C. § 102 as being anticipated by Nelson (U.S. Patent 6,487,479) is respectfully traversed.

Nelson describes a system 10 for accessing aircraft engine component repair information by internal users and external customers. System 10 includes a server 14, at least one computer 16, and a network connecting computers 16 to server 14. In one embodiment, devices 16 are computers including a web browser, and server 14 is accessible to devices 16 via the Internet. In an alternative embodiment, devices 16 are servers for a network of customer devices. Server 14 is configured with a database of repair order and quote information and a plurality of user interfaces associated with the repair information. The user

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